

The Times.

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY.

ACADEMY—"A Ruined Life," 8 p. m.
CHAMBER—"Wang," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
COLUMBIA—Galland company in "Romeo and Juliet," 8:15 p. m.
LAFAYETTE—Bergers stock company in "A Celebrated Case," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
LYCEUM—Phil Sheridan's City Sports, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
THIRTEENTH STREET AND COLUMBIA ROAD—Baseball, Church League, 5:30 p. m.

MATINEES TOMORROW.

ACADEMY—"A Ruined Life," 2 p. m.
LYCEUM—Phil Sheridan's City Sports, 2:15 p. m.

EXCURSIONS.

Norfolk and Washington steamer for Norfolk and Fortress Monroe, 6:30 p. m.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Joseph Harmon Pierce, 21, and Bessie Irene Brown, 20.
Samuel H. H. Chew, 42, District of Columbia, and Laura Miles, 32, Latham, Md.
Hugh Hayes, 27, and Lola Hobart, 20.
Charles C. Sheridan, 24, Newport News, Va., and Lottie Greene, 20, Richmond, Va.
Ellmore J. Courtney, 23, and Susie Cornwell, 18.

THE DEATH RECORD.

The following deaths for twenty-four hours were reported at the Health Department up to noon today:
Edward H. Tallaferr, 72 years.
Louisa Somerville, 65 years.
Fritz Spierdier, 52 years.
Louisa Pack, 48 years.
Mary R. Howell, 48 years.
Charles F. Jordan, 43 years.
Mary E. Patterson, 35 years.
Lizzie Grois, 31 years.
James Downey, 27 years.
Arthur Steppay, 5 years.
John Henderson, 7 years.

HOWARD GRADUATES

READ FINAL THESES

Receive Diplomas at Close of Study in English Department.

The class of 1933 of the English and Commercial Departments of Howard University, held its graduating exercises last night in Andrew Rankin Memorial Chapel. Prof. George M. Cook, dean of the faculty, presided.

The address to the graduating class was made by William Justin Carter, of Harrisburg, Pa., and Acting President Tannis S. Hamlin, D. D., presented the certificates to the class members. The following program was given: Selections from "Burgomaster," march "Invincible Eagle," invocation, the Rev. William V. Tunnell; intermezzo, "Iran," oration, "The Value of Industrial Training," Ernest A. Adkins; oration, "Commercial Education," Blanche M. Howard; selection, "Cupid's Glance," oration, "Manufacturers," Harrison J. Pinkett; intermezzo, "Hawatha," march, "Twenty-third Regiment," benediction.

The graduates were:
Commercial class—Clara L. Kersey Virginia; Blanche M. Howard, Texas.
English class—Lizzie M. Allen, Georgia; Ernest A. Adkins, Virginia; Lawrence Arnold, Virginia; Frank L. Olin, Virginia; Lucy E. Dodson, West Virginia; Zenobia F. Oliver, Virginia, and Harrison J. Pinkett, Virginia.
The class officers were Harrison J. Pinkett, president; Zenobia F. Oliver, secretary, and Ernest A. Adkins, treasurer.

FINE ADDED TO PURCELL'S UNPAID BOARD BILLS

Albert Purcell, a neatly dressed young man who the police say has made a specialty of jumping board bills, was arraigned on three charges of that nature in the Police Court this morning. The aggregate sum of the three bills was \$12.50 and the court imposed a fine of \$15, or thirty days in jail.

MISS EBERT'S MUSICALS.

A piano recital was given last night by the pupils of Miss Ebert, at the latter's home, 808 Nineteenth Street northwest, when an entertaining program was presented. Among those who participated in the recital were Mabel Johnston, Louise Daxon, Charlotte Schutz, Mary Johnson, Minnie Schlag, Anna Burrows, Minnie Whipple, Katherine Doyle, Adelaide Warren, Lena Sutton, Nannie Ratcliffe, Etta Grimes, Christine Brecht the Misses Ebert, and Mrs. William T. Reed.

DAMAGE SUIT COMPROMISED.

The suit of Catherine C. Roache against the Metropolitan Railroad Company for \$10,000, as damages for personal injuries, has been settled out of court. It is said the plaintiff was awarded substantial damages. Miss Roache was injured July 1, 1931, at the corner of H and Fourteenth Street.

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COMMISSIONER WEST TALKS TO FAIRMONT GRADUATES

Discusses Need for Character Building in School Life.

The graduating exercises of the class of 1933, of Fairmont Seminary, were held in the concert hall last night before an audience which overflowed the concert hall, and adjoining rooms. The hall was tastefully decorated with palms and cut flowers.

Prof. Arthur T. Ramsay presided. The invocation was delivered by the Rev. Charles Prettyman, of Mount Vernon Place M. E. Church. The address of the evening was made by Commissioner West, who took for his subject "Character Building." Mr. West spoke of the way in which character is developed in school, and indicated that this requisite of character building should be made as important a part of school life as the daily routine of lessons. The pursuits and customs of life were not learned in the classroom, continued Mr. West, and when launched upon a career the main reliance lay in character development.

A musical program was given, in which the following participated: Ernst Lent, Dr. and Mrs. Bischoff, Prof. Gebest, and Miss Owen. Dr. Ramsay presented the diplomas. The exercises closed with prayer by the Rev. U. G. B. Pierce, of the Unitarian Church.

The graduates were Philadelphia Stradt, West Virginia; Mary Vier Gorman, and Emma B. Nading, of Indiana; Mary Kennedy Owen, Tennessee; Estelle Lodge Taylor, District of Columbia, and certificate pupil, Lullie Simms, District of Columbia.

BERKELEY S. DAVIS FILES PAPERS IN BANKRUPTCY

Berkeley S. Davis, who gives his occupation as that of a clerk, today filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy in the District Court. He lists his liabilities at \$5,247.74 and his assets at \$75. The latter consists of property which Mr. Davis says is exempted under the law.

STOLE TWO DIAMOND RINGS.

Susie Brooks, a negro, indicted for the larceny of two diamond rings, valued at \$250 from M. C. Shea, pleaded not guilty today in Criminal Court, No. 1.

GIVEN TEN DAYS FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT

George Adams, a negro, the prosecuting witness in a case of housebreaking tried before Justice Pritchard, in Criminal Court No. 1, has been sentenced to jail for ten days for contempt of court.

When Henry Adams and Henry Carey were called to trial for housebreaking, George Adams, whose house was broken into by the accused, was not present to testify against them. Justice Pritchard ordered a bench warrant issued for the arrest of Adams. Not having a good excuse for his absence, Justice Pritchard ordered that he be imprisoned in the District jail for ten days.

Henry Adams pleaded guilty to the charge against him, and was sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary at Trenton, N. J., for a period of fifteen years. Carey stood trial, and was convicted. He was sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary for six years.

MR. WATTERS APPOINTED.

Snowden Ashford, Inspector of Buildings, has decided to appoint Frank Watters superintendent of construction in his department, under the new appropriation bill, which goes into effect July 1. Mr. Watters will have charge of the construction of public buildings only. His appointment will meet the issue raised by some of the trades unions, that there should be an inspector of plastering in the District service.

COOK WINS OUT, AS USUAL.

On motion of Commissioner West, the District Board has directed Miss Lawraon, cook at the Washington Asylum, to resume her duties. The same order directs Intendant W. A. Stoutenburgh to arrange matters between Miss Lawraon and the matron of the almshouse, so as to avoid friction and conflict of authority. Differences between the two women recently led to Miss Lawraon refusing longer to perform her duties under existing circumstances.

SISTER THE LEGATEE.

Ann Maria Clapham, by her will dated May 24, 1889, leaves her estate to her sister, Kate B. Way.

Send American Beauty Roses

When you send flowers. Finest specimens at Gude's, 1224 F. St. 51 doz. up.

POLICEMEN FINED FOR SLEEPING ON POST

Action has been taken by the District Commissioners upon the cases of Policemen R. A. Burton and Edward Archambault, both charged with neglect of duty, and found guilty by the trial board.

In Burton's case the evidence showed him to have been asleep while on duty. In reporting upon the case Major Sylvester said some allowance was to be made for the policeman's prompt acknowledgment of his fault. He was fined \$25.

Archambault was also asleep while on duty, and failed to report at the proper time to his precinct. He was fined \$25.

MARY HUNTER ACQUITTED.

Mary Hunter, a negro, charged with stealing a silk waist and a dress from James Carrington, proved to Judge Scott's satisfaction in the Police Court today that she purchased the goods from a second-hand clothing dealer, and the court ordered her personal bonds taken.

Elks' Excursion Tomorrow, River View.

Novel entertainment afternoon and evening.

CHASED HER VICTIM FOUR LONG BLOCKS

Maggie Eddison, a negro woman, cut Charles Williams on the neck with a razor and also chased him four blocks to get another chance at him. This morning in the Police Court she was sent to jail for nine months for the assault and one month for disorderly conduct.

NO THOROUGHFARE.

Arthur H. O'Connor, Assistant Corporation Counsel, has submitted an opinion to the District Commissioners to the effect that U Street, between Fourth and Sixth Streets, center of Eckington subdivision, is not a public thoroughfare. The opening of U Street at this point, he says, must be by dedication or condemnation.

MEMORIAL DAY EXCURSION.

\$3.50 To Old Point and Norfolk via \$3.50 Norfolk and Washington Steamers.

Tickets on sale Friday and Saturday, May 29 and 30, good to return Sunday, May 31, and Monday, June 1, at \$3.50 for round trip. For state-rooms phone Main 2290. See schedule, page 10.

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This good Folding Lawn Bench
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Very good 6-foot Extension Table, heavy carved cluster legs; best construction and nicely finished. Exactly like cut. **\$5.89**

Fine solid oak Sideboard; French bevel plate mirror; good finish; best construction. **\$9.89**

This Combination Kitchen Table like cut, consisting of drawer, flour or vegetable bin, meat or bread board. Only **\$4.49**

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The Times Camera Contest

For the encouragement of amateur photographers, The Times will offer each week three prizes for the best photographs submitted to it.

Out of the whole number of photographs submitted, The Times will choose each week a group of about six and reproduce them in its Sunday issue.

Three of These Will Be Awarded Money Prizes of \$5, \$3, and \$2 Respectively.

CONDITIONS—The conditions governing the awarding of prizes are as follows:

The prints submitted must be made by amateurs, readers of The Times, living within a radius of twenty miles of Washington, from negatives made by themselves and the result of their own work through all processes, and must be for the exclusive use of The Times in any way that it desires. Previous publication elsewhere will bar the print, and subsequent publication of a prize-winning print will not be allowed except by special permission of The Times. The print must bear the name and address of the sender, and it is safer to have prints mounted. No print will be returned.

Where possible, descriptive text may be sent, but this will not be considered in awarding the prize. The composition, artistic execution, and general attractiveness of the photograph will be taken into consideration in naming the prize-winner. Title of picture and name of sender should be written on the back of the print, and not sent separately.

Prints for the second competition must be delivered to The Times office not later than Saturday, May 30.

The successful competitors for this week will be announced and their photographs reproduced Sunday, June 7.

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\$3.00 Skirts, \$2.00.
100 Lustrous Black Brilliantine Skirts; full flare; round lengths; stitched bottoms; all lengths from 28 to 44; waist bands from 22 to 32. Regular \$3.00. Skirts. Offered for a day tomorrow at... **\$2.00**

75c to \$1.50 Hats, 48c.
Women's, Misses', and Children's Untrimmed Hats, all good shapes in soft Cuban straws; burnt straw flats; black basket braid and Trimmed Ready-to-wear Hats. Each worth from 75c to \$1.50. Choice tomorrow only at... **48c**

25c Neckwear, 5c.
Golf and Ascot Madras Stocks; in stripes and plain colors. Worth, from 25c to 49c. Choice tomorrow, each... **5c**

5-in. Ribbons, 12 1/2c Yard.
All-silk Louisiana Ribbons; all colors and black and white; 5 inches wide; sells at 15c yard. Offered for a day tomorrow only, yard... **12 1/2c**

Shaker Flannel, 3 1/2c Yard.
Cream White Shaker Flannel; excellent quality; 25 in. wide. Tomorrow, yard... **3 1/2c**

Percalines, 9 1/2c Yard.
36-inch Percalines; soft-finished; plenty of the popular white and black kind. Regular 12 1/2c qualities. Offered for a day at a yard... **9 1/2c**

21c Madras, 15c Yard.
Black and White Checked Madras; popular size checks; soft-finished; 21 inches wide; a 21c quality. Tomorrow, yard... **15c**

49c Pictures, 39c.
250 Photo Colors in 1 1/4-inch Brown Veneered Frame; also Ballet Girls; framed in 1 1/4-inch black molding. Regular price, 49c. Choice tomorrow at... **39c**

\$3.50 Umbrellas, \$1.19.
Sun or Rain Silk Umbrellas; slight imperfections, black and white colors. Worth \$3.50. Choice at... **\$1.19**

\$2.50 Oxfords, \$1.87.
Russia Calf Oxfords; in good assortment of sizes and widths. Tan Oxfords are scarce at any price—these will go quick tomorrow at... **\$1.87**

Trimnings, 4c Yard.
200 yards Narrow Silk Band Trimnings in Persian and Fancy Patterns. Worth 10c to 19c yard. Special tomorrow at... **4c**

Toweling, 3 1/2c Yard.
50 pieces of 17-inch heavy Brown Kitchen Toweling. Offered for a day, special, a yard at... **3 1/2c**

15c to 19c Veilings, 10c.
18-inch French Veilings, in plain, fancy, and chenille spotted meshes; 15c and 19c values. Offered tomorrow, a yard... **10c**

50c Oxford Suiting, 29c.
20 pieces of finest quality Egyptian yarn Oxford Suiting; highly mercerized. Was 50c yard. Tomorrow at... **29c**

15c Handkerchiefs, 9c.
Women's All-linen Handkerchiefs, with hand-embroidered initial and wreath in corner. Hemstitched, and seersucker patterns. Usual 15c qualities. Choice tomorrow, each... **9c**

Taffetas at 33c Yard.
100 pieces of All-silk Yarn-Handled Colored Taffetas; including white, ivory, cream, and black; also all colors. Positively all-silk and an excellent fabric for linings—lightweight and universally used for this purpose; 19 inches wide. Specially priced for a day; a yard... **33c**

15c Ginghams, 7 1/2c Yard.
5,000 yards Fine Zephyr Ginghams in a most complete assortment of fancy stripes, checks, plaids, and seersucker patterns. In pink, blue, red, black, navy, orange, tan, Nile, and old rose. Desirable lengths for shirt waist suits and all other purposes. Piece-price 12 1/2c and 15c yard. Special tomorrow only, yard... **7 1/2c**

25c to 49c Scarfs and Shams, 19c.
A lot of Spaethel Scarfs and Shams; hemstitched, plain, or embroidered, in white and colors. Also with colored tucks and ruffled edges. These vary in price from 25c to 49c. Choice tomorrow at... **19c**

29c and 25c Japanese Mattings, 15c Yard.
Take any of our Japanese Mattings that you see tomorrow in our department at 15c yard. They are Japanese Jointless Cotton-warp Mattings; carpet patterns and conventional designs; colors of blue, red, green, and brown. 29c and 25c qualities at, yard... **15c**

15c Percaline, 8 1/2c Yard.
Nubian Guaranteed Mole-finish Fast Black Percaline; regular 15c qualities. Special tomorrow, yard, at... **8 1/2c**

25c Underwear, 19c.
Children's Balbriggan Underwear; long and short sleeves; knee and ankle lengths; all sizes. Usual 25c quality. Choice tomorrow at... **19c**

50c Hosiery, 35c.
Women's 4-thread Lisle Hosiery; richelle ribbed; hand-embroidered front; full regular made; "Hermesdorf" black. Usual 50c qualities. Choice tomorrow, a pair... **35c**

50c Kimonos, 42c.
Women's Kimonos, in two styles; plain white India linen, trimmed with light blue and pink-flowered lawn, with white lawn revers and trimmings. Sizes 34 to 44. Regular 50c qualities. Choice tomorrow at... **42c**

Misses' \$1.25 Dresses, 89c.
Misses' Dresses in Russian effect; trimmings with narrow bias fold of white and small pearl buttons; size 6 to 14 years. Regular \$1.25 qualities. Choice tomorrow only at... **89c**

59c Corsets, 45c.
"R. & G." Ventilating Summer Corsets; straight front; dip hips; satin striped. Regular 59c qualities. Choice tomorrow at... **45c**

59c Woolen Dress Goods, 45c.
42-inch All-wool Cheviot and Storm Serge. A splendid material for suit and dress. A 59c quality; tomorrow, a yard... **45c**

Stationery, 13c.
Cabinet filled with 60 sheets of standard quality Writing Paper, with 50 envelopes to match. Tomorrow only at the low price of... **13c**

Books, 10c.
Choice of 500 titles of all the well-known Books by popular authors; substantial cloth binding. Tomorrow only, a copy... **10c**

Torchon Laces, 2c Yard.
Torchon Laces and Insertings; large range of patterns. Offered for a day at... **2c**

12 1/2c and 15c Embroideries, 8c Yard.
Showy, well-made Cambric, Swiss, and Nainsook Edgings, Insertings, Beadings, and Galloons; effective, neat patterns. 12 1/2c and 15c values. Offered a day, a yard... **8c**

25c and 50c Buckles, 5c.
Back Hair Buckles, of imitation shell; regularly 25c and 50c. Tomorrow at... **5c**

50c and 75c Belts, 25c.
Silk Taffeta Belts; double satin; dip buckle; black and white. For a day, tomorrow at... **25c**

2 Golf Hat Pins, 49c.
Two Sterling Silver Golf Hat Pins in caddy. Special at... **49c**

Dress Suit Cases at 90c.
Dress Suit Cases, 24 inches long; leather handles; heavy leather tipped corners. \$1.25 values. Offered a day at... **90c**

Dinner Sets, \$7.98.
100 Dinner Sets of Etrurian China; hard glaze, burst in decorations; assorted flower designs; gold lines. 100-piece sets; 15 different patterns to select from. Choice today special at... **\$7.98**

Persian Paste, 10c lb.
Orange and Lemon Persian Paste; usually 20c a pound. Tomorrow at... **10c**

\$1.49 Wagons at 98c.
Large size Daisy Express Wagons, complete with whip and seat; strongly made. Were \$1.49. Choice tomorrow only at... **98c**